



Wheeler County Board Minutes



Bartlett, Nebraska

May 9, 2011

10:30AM

The Wheeler County Commissioner's met in a special session on this date at 10:30 AM. Notice of the meeting was published and posted as required by law. Answering roll call was Commissioner's, Poulsen, Plugge, Landgren, Clerk Snider, Attorney James McNally, also present were, Sheriff Lindsay, Hwy Supt. Payne, Jim Meysenburg, and Heidi Scarlett. Chairman Poulsen identified the location of the Nebraska Open Meeting Act Posters located on the Commissioner's board, on the south wall, and made reference to open law literature available on the Commissioner's room table.

Heidi Scarlett met with the board about the FEMA money that was received. Plugge made a motion to transfer the money from the Road Fund back to the Inheritance Fund, seconded by Landgren. On roll call, voting aye, Plugge, Landgren, Poulsen; Voting nay, none. Motion carried.

Jim Meysenburg met with the board to discuss different options to build the road east of Bartlett leading to the hog units. It was suggested that the road improvements be divided into three phases and to be finished over a period of three years subject to reaching an agreement with the hog unit owner in regard to cost of the project. There would have to be a endangered species study done in June, depending on the results from the study and reaching an agreement for cost, the first phase of the road could start in July. Jim Meysenburg will report back to the Commissioners with a proposal.

Hwy Supt Payne had presented information on the purchase of two trucks available for purchase. Jim McNally said he would contact NACO in regard to a lease-purchase of the trucks. Plugge made a motion to lease purchase the two trucks through NACO, seconded by Landgren. On roll call, voting aye, Plugge, Landgren, Poulsen; Voting nay, none. Motion carried.

Poulsen reported he would contact Herd Co. for an update on their progress in preparation of rebuilding the Herd Co. road.

With no further business Poulsen adjourned the meeting at 11:50am.

The County Board will meet again in regular session on May 31st, 2011 at the Wheeler County Courthouse.

Cara Snider, County Clerk

Jack Poulsen, Board Chairman